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like this. However, I'm going to support Senator Beutler's amendment. Then I hope we can scrap the whole thing.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Senator Johnson on the Beutler amendment to LB 86.

SENATOR JOHNSON: Mr. Chairman, I want to speak against the totality of the bill. I think it's one of those things that is well-intended by Senator Pedersen but we've alluded to the problems with the public safety, which I think are definite and However, as I was listening to this discussion this real. morning, I thought of one other thing that occurred to me many years ago, and what it was is this. I was in the service in the Philippines, and as you went from town to town in the Philippines the local policemen stopped, and had other people there with them, that you certainly would like to contribute to This was almost a tollgate situation through all of these towns. And whereas this might be enacted or put before us with the best of intent, I would suspect that the same sort of thing could happen in our country as well. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Johnson. There are no further lights on, Senator Beutler, if you wish to close on your FAll47.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Senator Cudaback, members of the Legislature, just to remind you the amendment would simply say that the city, by ordinance, could continue to allow this activity, but it could not, by ordinance, allow children to do it. And, again, it just goes back to I suppose one's view of how kids react to things and their lack of a sense of vulnerability, their incaution, their indiscretions related to their stage in life and their inexperience. It seems to me it's better to keep them out of harm's way. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Beutler. You've heard the closing on FAll47 to LB 86. The question before the body is, shall that amendment be adopted? All in favor of the motion vote aye, opposed nay. Voting on adoption of FAll47 to LB 86. Have you all voted who care to: Record please, Mr. Clerk.